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PATENT  
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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Niehoff Art Unit: 3763  
 Serial No. : 09/307,633 Examiner: J. Maynard  
 Filed : May 7, 1999  
 For : SYRINGE WITH INDICIA FOR CONTROLLING PLUNGER DRIVE (AS AMENDED)

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 Commissioner of Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Via Facsimile

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. X Transmitted herewith is a Response to Office Action together with two sheets of drawings.
2.      Small Entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- Enclosed is a verified statement to establish Small Entity status
- X Other than a Small Entity

3. The fee has been calculated as shown below:

| (Col. 1)                                  |    | (Col. 2)                        |    | (Col. 3) | SMALL ENTITY |     | LARGE ENTITY |     |
|---|----|---------------------------------|----|----------|--------------|-----|--------------|-----|
| Claims Remaining After Amendment          |    | Highest No. Previously Paid For |    | Extra    | Present Rate | Fee | Present Rate | Fee |
| TOTAL                                     | 10 | MINUS                           | 20 | 0        | x \$50       | \$0 | x \$25       | \$0 |
| INDEP.                                    | 5  | MINUS                           | 5  | 0        | x \$200      | \$0 | x \$100      | \$0 |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM |    |                                 |    |          | +\$180       | \$0 | +\$360       | \$0 |
| TOTALS                                    |    |                                 |    |          | TOTAL FEE    | \$0 | TOTAL FEE    | \$0 |

     Additional fee for claims is required.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being sent via facsimile to Examiner J. Maynard at 571-273-8300 on:  
 August 9, 2005

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4. X Attached is a check in the sum of \$\_. Please charge my Deposit Account No. 23-3000 in the amount of \$ 1020.00.

5. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.

Complete (a) or (b) as applicable.

(a) X Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 for the total number of months checked below:

| Extension<br>(months)     | Fee for<br>other than<br><u>small entity</u> | Fee for<br><u>small entity</u> |
|---------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| <u>    </u> one month     | \$ 120.00                                    | \$ 60.00                       |
| <u>    </u> two months    | \$ 450.00                                    | \$225.00                       |
| <u>  X  </u> three months | \$1,020.00                                   | \$510.00                       |
| <u>    </u> four months   | \$1,590.00                                   | \$795.00                       |
| <u>    </u> five months   | \$2,160.00                                   | \$1,080.00                     |

Extension fee due with this request \$ 1020.00.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor. (Check and complete the next item, if applicable)

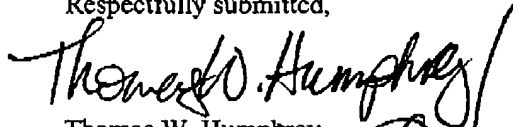
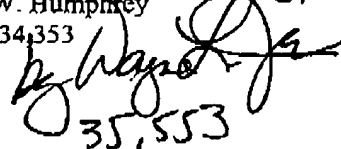
     An extension for      months has already been secured and the fee paid thereof of \$      is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. Extension fee due with this request \$     .

OR

(b)      Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

  X   If any additional fee for claims or extension of time is required, charge Account No. 23-3000.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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